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In re Application of MYLLYMAKI et al

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DECISION

The "Request for Corrected Notice of Acceptance" filed on 29 January 2007 are treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.181 and hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

The Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495 (Form PCT/DO/EO/903) mailed 20 December 2006 recorded the date of receipt of 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) requirements as 07 December 2006. The filing receipt also indicated a "Filing or 371(c) Date" of 07 December 2006.

However, a review of the application shows that a declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) was provided on 16 November 2006, not 07 December 2006.

As such, the Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495 (Form PCT/DO/EO/903) and filing receipt mailed 20 December 2006 both contain erroneous information and are hereby **VACATED**.

This application is being forwarded to the DO/EO/US to mail a corrected Form PCT/DO/EO/903 and filing receipt indicating the date of receipt of 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) requirements and "Filing or 371(c) Date" of 16 November 2006.

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